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NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

# Filing Date Granted

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- The Claim(s) commencing on a separate sheet (37 CFR 1.75(h)).
- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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Application No.: 09/955,151	) Examiner: Not Yet Assigned
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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PERIODICALLY ADAPTIVE GUIDANCE AND CONTROL	) ) ) )
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# RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers mailed October 18, 2001, Applicants submit the following:

In order to comply with the regulations of 37 C.F.R. § 1.75(h)), Applicants submit herewith amended pages of the specification with the claims commencing on a separate sheet.

### **IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Kindly replace pages 49-56 of the specification currently on file with the pages 49-57 appended hereto.

#### **IN THE DRAWINGS:**

In order to comply with the regulations of 37 C.F.R. § 1.84, Applicants submit herewith substitute drawing sheets.

Kindly replace the drawing sheets (12 pages, Figures 1-12) currently on file with the drawing sheets attached hereto.

#### **REMARKS**

The specification and claims of this application have not been changed. Only modifications to the format have been affected to comply with the requirements of the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers mailed on October 18, 2001. Accordingly, these modification do not constitute new matter and are not intended to change the scope of the claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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